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In re
APPLICATION of:

GERARD FRANCIS BARRY, ET AL.

Serial No.: 08/833,485

Filed: April 7, 1997

**For: GLYPHOSATE-TOLERANT
5-ENOLPYRUVYL SHIKIMATE-3-
PHOSPHATE SYNTHASES**

Group Art Unit: 1814

Examiner: E. Slobodyansky

**Atty. Dkt: MOBT:175---
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**CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS
ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 and 3.73
AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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The undersigned, being Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified application by virtue of an Assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as set forth below, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventor(s).

The Assignee hereby revokes any previous Powers of Attorney and appoints:

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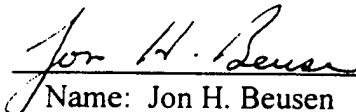
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73, the undersigned has reviewed the evidentiary documents, specifically the Assignment to **MONSANTO COMPANY** referenced below, and certifies that to the best of my knowledge and belief, title remains in the name of the Assignee.

Pursuant to MPEP § 324(2), the undersigned avers that he is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of assignee.

ASSIGNEE: MONSANTO COMPANY

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